

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff,

Case: 3:21-cr-20459
Judge: Cleland, Robert H.
MJ: Grand, David R.
Filed: 07-14-2021
INDI USA VS BANES (DP)

v.

VIO: 18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b)

ROWLAND TODD BANES,

Defendant.

INDICTMENT

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE

18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b)

Assaulting a Federal Officer Using a Deadly or Dangerous Weapon

On or about May 27, 2020, in the Eastern District of Michigan, the defendant, Rowland BANES, did, knowingly and intentionally, forcibly assault, resist, oppose, impede, intimidate, and interfere with J.H., a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, a person designated in Section 1114 of Title 18, United States Code, while J.H. was engaged in the performance of his official duties, and in doing so, BANES did use a deadly and dangerous weapon, to wit, a firearm; in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b).

FORFEITURE ALLEGATIONS
18 U.S.C. § 924(d), 28 U.S.C. § 2461
Criminal Forfeiture

The allegations contained in Count One of this Indictment are hereby incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. § 924(d) together with 28 U.S.C. § 2461.

As a result of the foregoing violation, as charged in Count One of this Indictment, the defendant shall forfeit to the United States any firearm or ammunition involved in or used in his knowing violation of 18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b).

THIS IS A TRUE BILL

s/ Grand Jury Foreperson
GRAND JURY FOREPERSON

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Dated: July 14, 2021

United States District Court Eastern District of Michigan	Criminal Case Cover Sheet	Case Number
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Companion Case Information		Companion Case Number:
This may be a companion case based upon LCrR 57.10 (b)(4) ¹ :		Judge Assigned:
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		AUSA's Initials: MSB

Case Title: USA v. Rowland Todd Banes

County where offense occurred : Wayne

Check One: **Felony** **Misdemeanor** **Petty**

Indictment/ Information --- no prior complaint.
 Indictment/ Information --- based upon prior complaint [Case number:]
 Indictment/ Information --- based upon LCrR 57.10 (d) [Complete Superseding section below].

Superseding Case Information

Superseding to Case No: _____ **Judge:** _____

Corrects errors; no additional charges or defendants.
 Involves, for plea purposes, different charges or adds counts.
 Embraces same subject matter but adds the additional defendants or charges below:

Defendant name	Charges	Prior Complaint (if applicable)
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Please take notice that the below listed Assistant United States Attorney is the attorney of record for the above captioned case.

July 14, 2021

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